

Appendix 2: Secretary's Report for the period June 2016 to April 2017.

The following table shows the attendance at the AGM, held in June 2016 and at the six ordinary meetings held in June, August, October, December 2016, and February and April 2017.

- The number of members of the Council was 14 from June until October 2016, 15 from December 2016
 - The average attendance of elected members was 78%.
 - Fewer members of the public attended than in the past two years.
 - Our guests at the April meeting were the Scout leader and three Scouts who are assisting the Community Council on Environmental projects.
- The representative of the MOD provided a written report to each ordinary meeting.
- The police were represented at all but one of our meetings, but they provided a Crime Report to each.
- Our three Local Councillors provided support throughout the year and were represented at all of the seven meetings.
- Two special meetings have also been arranged; a defibrillator training session last July, and a drop in session for the community on the proposed sewage works in Rhu. This latter was in conjunction with Scottish Water. The Trustees of Rhu and Shandon Community Centre provided the Hall free of charge for the Neighbourhood Watch Meeting.

Month	Type	members	CCLs	Police	MOD	public	guests	total
AGM	AGM	10	2	0				12
June	Ordinary	11	3	0	0	1		15
August	Ordinary	10	1	2	1	1		15
October	Ordinary	11	1	0	1	2		15
December	Ordinary	12	3	0	1	3		18
February	Ordinary	13	1	1	3	2	4	24
April	Ordinary	12	3	1	2	4		23
	Total	79	14			13		
	max possible	101	21					
	Average Att	78%	67%			2		

- The most visited page of the website is the News page. Most of the information posted there is also sent out to our Mailing list of over 100 subscribers in the form of a MailChimp Newsletter. There have been 20 Newsletters since the last AGM.